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BEFORE USING THE HOOD

- **To get best performance from the hood, please read these user instructions carefully.**
- Packaging materials can be dangerous for children. Keep the packaging material (plastic bags, polystyrene, etc.) well out of their reach.
- Make sure the hood has not been damaged during transportation.
- Installation and connection to the mains and exhaust ducts must be carried out by a qualified technician, in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and local safety regulations.

SAFEGUARDING THE ENVIRONMENT

1. Packaging

The packaging material is entirely recyclable, and marked with the recycling symbol ♺. Follow local regulations for scrapping. Keep the packaging materials (plastic bags, polystyrene parts, etc.) out of reach of children, as they are potentially dangerous.

2. Appliance

The appliance is made using recyclable materials. Disposal must be carried out in accordance with local environmental regulations for waste disposal.
Make the appliance unusable by cutting off the power cord. The appliance must be delivered to an authorised collection centre for scrapping.

PRECAUTIONS AND GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS

1. **Always disconnect the hood by switching off the electrical power supply before cleaning or carrying out maintenance.**
2. Exhaust air must not be conveyed through the same flue used by the heating system or other non-electrical appliances.
3. **Do not flambé food under the hood since the flames generated could cause a fire.**
4. **Never leave the pan unattended when frying since the cooking oil could ignite.**
5. Regular maintenance guarantees smooth hood operation and high performance.
6. If the hood is used together with non-electrically powered appliances, ambient negative pressure must not exceed 4pa (4×10^{-5} bar).
   For this reason, make sure the room is well ventilated.
7. Regularly remove dirt deposits. Regularly clean or replace filters. Never use flammable materials to convey exhaust air.

Declaration of conformity CE

This product has been designed, manufactured and marketed according to the following:

- safety objectives of "Low Voltage" Directive 73/23/EEC
- protection requirements of "EMC" Directive 89/336/EEC amended by Directive 93/68/EEC.

USING THE HOOD

Switch on the hood a few minutes before starting to cook and leave it running for at least 5 minutes after you have finished.

1. Pull out the steam deflector (depending on model). This improves hood performance.
2. Turn the speed selector to the required speed setting according to the quantity of fumes and steam to be extracted.
3. Switch off the hood 5 minutes after you have finished cooking.
4. Close the steam deflector (where fitted).

CARE AND MAINTENANCE

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Grease filter

- **The sponge grease filter** should be washed in hot soapy water once a month (soak for 1-2 hours, do not wring. If necessary, repeat the process. Replace with a new filter every 5-6 washes).
- **The grease filter paper** should be replaced at least once a month.
- **Grease filter paper with indicator** should be replaced at least every two months or whenever the colour becomes visible through the holes of the grille.
  The paper filter is coloured on one side. This colour should not be visible through the grille holes when the filter is installed.
- **The metal grease filter** has an unlimited life and should be washed **once a month** by hand or in a dishwasher (60°C) with appropriate detergents.
  Leave filter to dry before remounting it.

Whenever cleaning or replacing the grease filters, clean all other exposed parts of the hood.

Carbon filter

("Air recirculation mode", see following page)

The carbon filter cannot be washed or regenerated.

Replace the carbon filter (normal usage)

every 6 months (Rectangular carbon filter)

every 4 months (Circular carbon filter).

Replacing bulbs

1. Pull out the steam deflector (depending on model).
2. Open the grille or light fixture and remove the grease filter.
3. Remove the burnt-out bulb and replace it with a new one of the same wattage. Close the grille, light fixture or metal grease filter.

Cleaning the hood

Use a soft cloth with methylated spirits or a mild liquid detergent. Never use abrasive substances.

Warning! Failure to observe the instructions for cleaning the appliance and replacing or washing the filters may cause a fire.

TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE

Hood does not work:

- Is the electrical power supply switched on?
- Is there a power failure?
- Has the fuse blown?

Insufficient suction power:

- Did you set the right speed?
- Do the filters need to be cleaned or replaced?
- Are the air outlets blocked?

Light does not work:

- Does the bulb need to be replaced?
- Is the bulb correctly fitted?
- Is the mains fuse OK?

Never try to carry out any repair by yourself other than fixing the above-mentioned problems.

AFTER-SALES SERVICE

Before calling After-Sales Service

1. See if you can solve the problem yourself with the help of the "Troubleshooting guide".
2. Switch off the hood for a few minutes and re-start it to see if the problem has cleared itself.
3. If the malfunction persists, call After-Sales Service.

Specify:

- the nature of the problem,
- the model,
- your full address,
- your telephone number and area code.
- The service code (number below the word SERVICE on the rating plate inside the hood behind the grease filter).

INSTALLATION

When installing the hood, the minimum distances from the cooktop must be respected, and the numerical sequence and additional instructions must be followed exactly as indicated on the Installation sheet.

External Exhaust Mode

(A - see also installation sheet)

Cooking fumes and vapours are conveyed outside through a duct connected to the hood by means of a collar.

The outlet duct diameter must be the same as that of the collar.

If a flue-damper is to be installed, check that it can open and close freely when installation of the exhaust duct is complete.

The hood can be supplied with one (upper) or two (upper and rear) exhaust outlet holes.

The hood is usually set up for using the upper exhaust outlet.

1. The collar must be seated in the upper exhaust outlet.

Use the rear exhaust outlet (where present).

1. Where fitted, remove the cover closing off the rear outlet and collar.
2. Some models are fitted with a plastic deflector that closes off the rear outlet. If fitted, remove it.
3. Fit the collar in the rear outlet.
4. Put the cover (if fitted) in the upper outlet.

***Warning!* If the hood has a carbon filter, this should be removed.**

Check that the switch inside the hood (if fitted) is in position **"A" Extractor**; if not, set it to this position.

Air Circulation Mode

(F - see also installation sheet)

The air is filtered by a carbon filter and recycled into the surrounding atmosphere. The filtered air is released towards the kitchen ceiling.

***Warning!* If the hood does not have a carbon filter, order one and fit it before use.**

Check that the switch inside the hood (if fitted) is in position **"F" Filter**; if not, set it to this position.

If the plug is provided, close off the upper exhaust hole.

Electrical connection

Before connecting the hood, make sure the voltage indicated on the rating plate corresponds to the voltage in your home.

The plate is located inside the hood behind the grille.

For GB this appliance is supplied without a plug and is intended for direct connection to fixed wiring in accordance with national wiring regulations. An all-pole disconnection switch with a minimum contact separation of 3 mm must be included in the fixed wiring in an easily accessible position.

The Manufacturer shall not be liable for any damage or problem arising from the failure to comply with the above-mentioned instructions.